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Sanaa F. Abdelhadi

Before the Examiner: Andrea B. Hollar

Serial No: 09/965,002

: Group Art Unit: 2142

Filed: 09/27/2001

Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD OF REPRESENTING REAL-TIME DISTRIBUTED

COMMAND EXECUTION STATUS ACROSS

DISTRIBUTED SYSTEMS

: Confirmation No.: 2728

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AMENDMENT A

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent Application as provided below and consider the following Remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the CLAIMS begin on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.

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